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EMPRESS. ALTA. THURSDAY, May 3, 1928

Price: \$2.00 Per Year

United Church

Church School, 10:30 a.m.
All our supporters and friends are reminded of change in hour of meeting, for the summer months.

Immediately following will be held the regular

Public Worship, 11:30 a.m.

There are many points in favor of a morning church service—the chief one we mention is that we may bring to God's house the freshness which a new day brings. Come and worship with us.

Rev. N. W. Whitmore,
Minister

Leland Hall

Public worship at three o'clock, every Sunday afternoon. There is a place for one and all.

Born — To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hay, April 25, a son. Died—Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hay, April 28.

Seeding operations are going ahead rapidly while threshing operations also are going along smoothly and rapidly.

Just a Few of Our Many Bargains

A Real Good

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2.00

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Hack Saw Frames

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Taps and Dies

.75

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.65

Full Ironed Single Tree

.95

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Cling Snaps, doz.

.40

Copper Boiler

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The L. TUCKER HARDWARE

Service with a Smile

Arbor Day, May 7

Many school grounds, parks, lawns and boulevards in the province will be improved by the planting of trees on Monday, May 7th, which has been named by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council as Arbor Day in Alberta.

Mayfield Hall

Next Sunday, May 6th, Rev. N. W. Whitmore, will conduct evening worship promptly at 7 o'clock.

Note the evening hour—all maybe home again by dark. A helpful hour at the close of Sunday. You are welcome.

Mother's Day

In common with most of the English speaking world, we designate to honour our Mothers on Sunday, May 13. We can all wear flowers, but better still we can strengthen the bond of your affection which unites us to our homes by a kindly message and a loving remembrance. Each of us has been honored with a mother; it is not likely she has been overpaid.

Field Grain Competition

A standing grain field competition as recommended by Mr. James Murray, district agriculturist, in his meetings in early Spring, will be carried on this summer. For further information see J. McNeil, Empress or D. Rogers, Bindloss.

Mrs. S. W. Ke-ten, of Leader, passed away at Empress, on Thursday, April 29. The remains were taken to Regina on Friday for interment by Mr. S. W. Kesten. Baby Kesten was taken home to Leader on Friday morning. Much sympathy was expressed locally for Mr. Kesten in his bereavement.

Weather of the past week has been very windy

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Marie Vaughan, who underwent an operation for appendicitis on Friday, April 27, is progressing favorably.

J. B. Johnson, who underwent an operation Thursday, April 26, is recovering and able to see his friends.

Dr. A. K. McNeill, is visiting friends in Calgary.

J. R. Good, of Abbotsford, is deputizing for Dr. A. K. McNeill during the latter's absence.

Isabel, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Swenson, of Bindloss, has made a speedy recovery from a mastoid operation.

Ralph Piper, Bindloss, age 10, had the misfortune to fall and break his collar-bone while playing.

Wheat Pool News Bulletin

A meeting of the delegates of the Alberta Wheat Pool will be held on Tuesday, May 29th, in Calgary for the purpose of considering Coarse Grain Pool for Alberta, policy of the Pool elevator system for the coming season, the re-sign campaign, and any other matters of general interest to the Pool.

Over 600 men are now working on the new terminal elevator being erected by the Alberta Wheat Pool at Vancouver. This elevator will be completed by September 1st.

Rapid extension of the Alberta Wheat Pool elevator system is being undertaken this year. Eighteen country elevators are now being built and eight have been purchased. The system will be extended by the addition of at least a hundred elevators this year. Experience in operating the Wheat Pool has shown that line and terminal elevators are imperative to the welfare of the members. The system may be given the greatest possible protection, that wanted grades of wheat may be readily obtainable when the demand has arisen, and that the greatest possible savings may be effected.

GARD OF THANKS

We wish to tender our heartfelt thanks to citizens of Empress for their many kindly acts during the illness of our mother and expressions of sympathy and help proffered on the occasion of our recent bereavement.

—Mrs. N. Cotton, and sisters, Wanda, Julie, and Annie Sienkiewicz

Organise For Baseball

A baseball meeting was held in the hotel rotunda on Friday evening for the organization of the team. The election of officers resulted as follows: D. McMichael, president; C. R. Moore, secretary, G. S. Tucker, was elected manager and Ed. McCune, captain of the team. The first practice was held on Monday evening.

Prairie Fires Are Prevalent

High Winds and Dead Grass Make Danger Acute. Monarch Ranch Suffer Heavy Loss In Prairie Fire in Tilley Area.

On Thursday, April 26, prairie fire occurred over a large area of land in the Bingville and Tilley districts, spreading north and east to Buffalo. The area of burnt over land is 50 miles long to 25 miles wide.

The Monarch ranch suffered heavy loss, losing all their pasture, some 22,000 acres; 200 sheep dead and 300 injured. As this is the lambing season, their loss is a heavy one and is estimated at over \$10,000. They have seven 3500 head of sheep which they had to move to the Sowell ranch.

Const. Wallace of the local police detachment carried out an investigation. The fire commenced at the farm of John Marr, at Grey Lake, twenty-five miles north-west of Monarch. Marr was burning off stubble and the fire jumped his fire-guard. Skirting the Sowell ranch south, it travelled across the Monarch ranch to the Stapperton ranch south of Buffalo. Two townships of pasture were destroyed on the latter ranch.

On Friday, April 27. Const. Wallace received a call from Social Plains, that a prairie fire had started in the Cavendish district. At that time the fire was travelling north, C. Jarrett and a number of men commenced to back-fire from Bindloss. Meanwhile the wind changed and the fire advanced on a twenty-five mile front across the Horse Reserve, meeting the fire-fighters about eight miles south of Bindloss. The fire broke through two other fire guards. However, the fire was checked and the only damage suffered was destruction of pasture and stacks of feed at the Sherman farm. Local showers at night relieved the situation.

In addition to the above-mentioned fires there have been

Hospital Day in Empress

Saturday, May 19th

Saturday, May 12 is the anniversary of the birthday of one of the world's best remembered and most beloved of women, Florence Nightingale.

In commemoration of this most auspicious day, on Saturday, May 19th, the Express hospital will be open to all visitors for inspection from 3 till 8 p.m. Tea will be served during these hours, price 50c., children, 25c. Proceeds for benefit of hospital Everybody welcome.

News Item

A large number of the crowd were perfectly camouflaged against the wall which was also plastered.

some minor out breaks. Farmers and citizens alike should in the interests of themselves and neighbors take every precaution to prevent such happenings. The local Council requests that all citizens who may have need to start rubbish fires, keep watch over them until they have completely burned out or else see that they are extinguished before retiring.

Make sure the fire is absolutely dead. Smoldering rubbish very quickly leaps into a live flame in a high wind, and may destroy your own home or business place or that of your neighbor. Why take these risks?

Castle Coombe W.M.S.

The Castle Coombe W.M.S. will meet on Wednesday afternoon, May 9th, at the home of Mrs. Roy Rivers. Yearly reports, election of officers, and an important business call for a full attendance of members.

A very interesting report of Branch Meeting held in Moose Jaw this year will be included in the program. Visitors made welcome.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Wednesday Half Holiday

The Wednesday Half Holiday By Law, for the Village of Empress, is effective commencing Wednesday, May 9th, 1928.

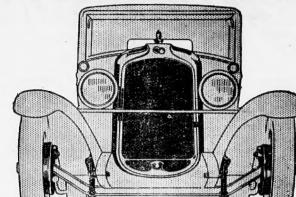
D. McEachern;
Secretary-Treasurer.

PUBLIC NOTICE

All manure, litter and refuse must be removed at once from the Village of Empress, and deposited in the Nuisance Ground, and there only. Banking of Buildings with manure will be prohibited in future.

Medical Health Officer.

An enthusiastic meeting was held recently in the Mayfield Hall for the purpose of re-organization of the Mayfield Base Ball Club. Messrs. Walsey Leach and T. Rowles were elected as managers. On May 24 a program and dance are being held.



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The well-known extra large

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Gloves, Boots and Shoes

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The Jeweler and Clothier

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RED ROSE TEA

"is good tea"

The Orange Pekoe, at a little
extra cost, is extra good
In clean, bright Aluminum

Railway Construction in the West

Only a few years ago there was a feeling throughout Canada that the construction of railways in the Dominion had been either overdone. This opinion was freely stated by many men in public life, by bank presidents and financiers, and found expression in newspapers all over the country. The statement was frequently made that Canada had built railways fifty years in advance of the time when they would be needed and the population and productive capacity of the country warranted. The greatest financial danger confronting the Dominion, it was alleged, was its heavy commitments on account of railways.

The fact that Canada possesses the greatest railway mileage per capita of any country in the world, and the further fact that a few years ago during the war the Canadian Northern, Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific Railways got into financial difficulties and had to sell out to the Dominion Government, has led to a general following during the post-war depression the Canadian National was operated at a heavy financial loss, no doubt accounted for these rather pessimistic views. An entirely different opinion exists today.

When the C.P.R. was first projected the same faint-hearted view was taken of the potential railway network across Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific, crossing thousands of miles of undeveloped prairie land and over the Rocky Mountains, was ridiculed in the English press as the dream of madmen, and even in Canada it was predicted that such a railway would never earn the cost of its axle grease. The world realizes today how false all these dire predictions have proven to be.

The opinions expressed only a few years ago during the anxious days of the war and the world depression which followed are proving to be equally erroneous.

In a most instructive address before the Canadian Club at Regina recently, Mr. Cyril Young, of the Industrial Development Department of the Canadian National Railways, made it clear that the Canadian National main line is the most important through the chief belt of Ontario, the railway was earning an operating surplus, while bringing about settlement and building up important industries, giving to Canada what heretofore it has lacked, depth in addition to its immense width.

In the past, Canada has boasted of its locomotive requirements being a steady and continuing forward development of the Hudson Bay Railways. Canada holds forward with eager anticipation and confidence to the day not far distant when its commerce will likewise pass through a third ocean on the north. And even before that railway is completed to timberwater, a branch line is being rushed to completion in order to handle the enormous traffic which will result from the development of the Flin Flon and other mining areas of the north which, it is predicted, will rival the great copper belt of the United States.

Today instead of believing that railway construction has been overdone in Canada, the two great railway systems of the Dominion are steadily increasing their construction programmes. Last year Parliament authorized an extensive branch line construction programme for the Canadian National, largely in the north, and corresponding for the building within three years of some hundreds of miles of new railways. That work, which was started last year, is to be pushed with vigor during 1924.

Not does the C.P.R. lag behind. The annual report of that Company issued last month records the fact that during 1922 no less than 202 miles of new railway lines were built and track laid on 170 miles, while for the year 1923 the direction recommends the building of no less than eleven extensions in the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan involving the construction of an additional 247 miles of new lines.

Not to be outdone by the West, the Ontario Government is steadily pushing its system northward towards Hudson Bay, while branch dealers are spreading the word along the coast that new lines are to be built.

The Government of Ontario is confronted with applications for new railway charters for lines in northern Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia aggregating thousands of miles with a view to providing for the opening up and development of the north country and the creation of new outlets to the Pacific.

Thus, in the last decade or so, the Canadian National has turned its operating deficits into substantial operating surpluses, surprises sufficiently large to meet all the interest payments on bonds and debentures held by the public, while through the encouragement given to settlement and industrial development all over the country, the Federal Government is making a substantial, albeit indirect, return to the people Canada has invested in that system.

Railway development, past, present, and future, is the foundation upon which Canadians are erecting a strong, prosperous, and ultimately self-contained nation, a nation that is destined to occupy a place in the very front rank of world powers.

The first known deposit of helium gas in Europe has been found at Rüsselsheim, Baden, Germany, 600 meters under surface.

A morning journal suggests that the radiator should be more artistic. After all, it is often the first thing about a car that strikes you.

Heavy Apple Production in Okanagan Valley
An estimated 1,000,000 bushels of apple production in the southern part of the Okanagan Valley, British Columbia, this year. The estimate is based on present excellent prospects, all conditions in the orchards being of a favorable nature. Peaches, apricots and cherries also give promise of heavy yields.

Thieves and Mowes houses of New York have 1,500,000 patrons daily. There are 200 theatres and 200 movie houses with a seating capacity of 850,000.

People used to think the world was flat. Then it was found to be round. But it's still just a little crooked in spots.

In parts of North Siam both parties to a lawsuit are put under water, and the one staying the longest wins the suit.

Use Minard's Liniment for Corns.

Western Canada Livestock Union

Annual Convention for 1929 Will Be Held At Edmonton

The 1929 annual convention of the Western Canada Livestock Union, will be held in Edmonton, Alberta, on April 25, 26, 27, 1929. It is decided at the recent session of this organization, which was held in Vancouver, R. A. Wright, of Drinkwater, Saskatchewan, has been reelected president of the organization for the coming year. J. L. Walters, of Cochrane, is the provincial vice-president for Alberta, Olin Olafson, of Mortlach, occupies the same position for Saskatchewan, and George Gordon, of Oak Lake, for Manitoba. C. M. Learmonth, of Regina, continues as secretary of the Union for 1928.

A SPRING TONIC AN AID TO HEALTH

You Can Lay the Foundation Of Good Health Now By Building Up Your Blood and Strengthening Your Nerves Through the Use of Dr. Williams Pink Pills.

This good old fashion of taking a cure in the Spring is a natural result of the customs of our grandparents, based upon sound common sense and good medical practice. Winter is almost a trying time for everyone.

Winter is a time when you are stored up during the sunny summer months, and growing increasingly pale and lame.

A tonic for the blood and strength at this time will help you in your cheeks by putting color in them and banishing that tired feel which carries the impress of people at the season of the year.

It is impossible to be energetic if you are tired and weak, and if you are not well you cannot compete with others if you want to get refreshment sleep at night, or if you want to keep your weight.

You need a tonic to add to your efficiency now, to add to your health, to free you from suffering later on. And in all cases, if you take Dr. Williams Pink Pills.

These pills tone you up, give you more energy, strengthen jaded nerves and renew your strength, bringing to you much more strength and power to work easily, tireless, independent men, women and children.

Mrs. L. Hopman, Sunnerville, N.C., writes—“Dr. Williams’ Pink Pills are the best I have ever taken. I am in a really raw down condition. I became ill in October and could scarcely go about and do my housework left me completely unused. I was too tired to work, and I was in a bad way, and I was told to take Dr. Williams’ Pink Pills. I took them and continued to take the use I fully regained my health. Since I began taking Dr. Williams’ Pink Pills in Spring to build me up for the hot weather, and always I find the best recommendation. Please, therefore, recommend these pills as an aid to healthy builders.”

These pills can be had from any medicine dealer, or by mail at 59 cents a bottle. The Dr. Williams’ Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Growth of Catholic Church

Catholics In United States Now Total

There are 60,000,000 Catholics in the United States, according to Catholic directory for 1928 shows. This is an increase of 205,532 over last year.

The total of Catholic churches in the U.S. was listed at 16,293, with 25,771 priests; of the latter, four are cardinal-archbishops, thirteen archbishops, and 61 bishops.

For Asthma Give Asthma home treatment as quickly as possible. But give it the treatment of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma remedy. It is the best back ever had. There is no half way about this remedy. It goes right to the throat, breathing passages and leaves no place for the trouble to hurt. Have it by you for ready use.

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Passenger Train Crashes Through Quebec Bridge Weakened By Floods

Quebec, Que.—A Canadian National passenger train was wrecked and two men are missing as a result of flood conditions in the northern part of the province. The engine and passenger car of train No. 12, which left Quebec at 1:20 p.m. Sunday afternoon, crashed through Drummondville Bridge, which had been weakened by flood water, killing two missing men. It is believed to have killed are Joe Hobbs, 45, brakeman; Monte treat, and R. Tivierge, an express employee. All other employees and passengers are accounted for.

Details of the flood conditions in the district where the wreck occurred and of the wreck are not available here. Telephone communication between Quebec and Drummondville has been impossible since late this afternoon.

A relief train was despatched to the scene of the wreck in charge of J. E. Morazan, local superintendent of the Canadian National Railways. A number of persons were injured, one person was injured. John Hetherington of Charny, Que., who was removed to the Drummondville hospital.

Two men were drowned and another had his leg broken. Two deaths occurred when the passenger vehicles on which they were crossing a wooden bridge was swept into the Chaudiere River at St. Lambert by floods.

The victims were Trudeau Roy, 39, and William Marin, 20.

The third man, George Couture, succeeded in swimming to shore after the vehicle had been thrown into the racing waters.

Find 'Plane Wings At Sea

May Belong To One Of Lost Atlantic Flyers

Bogota, Colombia.—Detachments from Cartagena report that portions of two plane wings have been found on the coast of Coquira, near Tucumac.

The wings, measuring about nine feet in length, are slightly burned. The word "Heine" is perfectly legible in characters painted on the wings which are believed to be the wreckage of a plane lost in one of the various fruitless attempts to span the Atlantic in year past.

Want Guarantees

Toronto.—At the conference here yesterday between the government of Ontario, Premier J. E. Edward G. Reid, of Alberta, and Provincial Treasurer I. G. Reid, of Alberta, Mr. Ferguson stressed the advisability of the Alberta government "approving" all coal shipments to Ontario, and that if promised, if this were done, that the Ontario government would lend every possible aid to an equitable distribution of the shipments when they reached here.

To Vote On Beer Parlors

Brandon.—Petitions containing over 1,700 names have been filed with the city clerk for a vote to be taken on the local option clause in the Manitoba legislation, and according to the council has decided that the vote will be taken on or about May 15. The vote must be taken within six weeks and on the result will depend the opening of beer parlors in this city.

Radio Broadcasting In Dominion May Be Taken Over By The State

Ottawa.—Government control of all radio broadcasting in Canada is a strong possibility of the future. There may such a system in Great Britain and it may come to this here before long.

While there has been no official decision as yet, it is known that such a proposal is being considered by those in power in the radio industry.

A great deal of trouble is experienced owing to the fact that many people — a fast increasing number — want to be into the broadcasting business. The rules of communication are very liberal. Much conflict arises and complaints are very numerous as to reception being spoiled and other disagreeable conditions existing.

In consequence of this, it is learned that some interests securing new licences have been cautiously advised

Recognition For

Herman Trele

Alberta Government Purchases Quarter Section Of Farm At Wembley

Edmonton.—Payment of a first instalment of the purchase price of a quarter section of his farm at Wembley, the Peace River wheat champion, through the department of public works. An appropriation of \$5,000 was used in the estimates for this purpose.

Under the terms of the agreement,

the quarter-section is being leased to Mr. Trele for a term of five years with an option of purchase.

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The Farmyard Hen Produced In Canada Last Year Over 253 Million Dozen Of Eggs

Some one has figured that if the eggs laid in Canada in 1927 were placed end to end they would girdle the universe four and a half times. It certainly shows the importance of the egg market, since the number of eggs consumed over three million eggs or 15,000 miles of them. And these are the farm eggs only. Dear knows how many more thousands of miles have been added for the eggs laid in poultry houses in the cities and in the suburban areas in Canada, but the number must be considerable. All of them, whether from farm or city, disappear down the national gullet at the rate of 125 eggs per capita. This rate is of course much faster at meal times, for these figures are on a 24-hour basis. Still there are not enough to satisfy the national appetite and some eggs have to be imported into Canada.

Canadians are the greatest egg-eaters on the face of the globe and consumption has been increasing tremendously, especially since egg-grading regulations came into force. It is estimated that the average Canadian eats something like 337 eggs per capita per annum. Production of farm eggs in 1927 equalled 320 eggs per capita. While production is increasing rapidly, consumption is increasing even faster, breeding of better hens rather than increasing the flocks, consumption is increasing at a still more rapid rate as indicated by the excess of imports over exports of eggs.

Canada produced roughly 345 million dozen eggs in 1927, and exported less than half a million dozen. Exports of imports over exports rose by a million dozen over the previous year. These figures on eggs in the United States, eggs eaten at home or not, as they are shown in trade statistics, are also imported into Canada in some volume, especially in recent years. Most of the eggs eaten in Canada come from Canada, but the total amount imported in 1927 amounted to slightly over 2 million pounds compared with 1.3 million pounds in the previous year.

The unfavorable trade balance resulting from excess of imports over exports of eggs reached a record of \$1,700,000 in 1927. This is an increase over 1926 of upwards of a million dollars. Considered by themselves these figures may appear large, but they can be compared with a farm egg production in 1927 of over 253 million dozen valued at over \$80,000,000. The long and short of it is that Canada just barely failed to meet its egg needs in 1927, and by about 1½ million dozen eggs per capita to which must be added the imports of preserved eggs amounting to perhaps two eggs per capita. Domestic eggs are not enough to meet the national appetite, therefore by roughly one-half dozen per capita—a trifling amount it is true, but the shortage is increasing.

What is the outlook? Can Canada supply her own egg requirements and still export? Is there any hope that her export trade in eggs? In regard to the first of these questions, farm egg production is increasing very rapidly, in fact there has been a gain of fifty per cent since 1921. At the same time the number of hens on Canadian farms has increased by only 25 per cent, showing that the production per hen has increased considerably since 1921, due to the introduction of better breeds and production. The process of weeding out undesirable birds and substituting hens of proven high-production strain appears to have borne excellent results in the past year, an increase of 6.8 per cent in production being noted for 1927 over 1926, while the number of hens in farm flocks increased by only one-sixth of one per cent. Even without imports the Canadian market could not absorb all the surplus eggs of 1927, but just begin to keep up with increasing population and the increasing appetite of Canadians for eggs. There is still room for very great improvement in the farm flocks and the market for Canadian eggs, but the process cannot go on indefinitely and the farm flocks must eventually be increased to keep up domestic supplies of eggs if consumption per capita goes on climbing.

If Canada had the eggs, she could not work them off, however, unless in Great Britain, says the Department of the Interior, through its Natural Resources Intelligence Service. In fact the market for her surplus eggs has been limited there, but since 1905 the exportable surplus has amounted to much. Just imagine the magnitude of the market in the United Kingdom and what could be done with poultry in Canada if prices were attractive. The United Kingdom spent over \$40,000,000 a year on imports.

ported eggs in 1925 and 1926. The Imperial Economic Committee reports that requirements from home and Empire were 1,000 and 5,700 million eggs per year or ten million dozen, respectively. Since Canada's farm egg production—this with a consumption of only 125 eggs per capita. The system of animal grading and government control to which they have been subjected has enabled Canadians to command a premium on every egg on the British market. If enough of them were to be had, John Bull might insist that Jack Cade's claim to the champion egg of the world was as it is only 5 out of every thousand eggs consumed in Great Britain, according to last reports come from Canada. The United Kingdom itself supplies 800,000 Irish Free State, 1,000,000 India, 1,000,000 Russia, 47, Netherlands, 35, Poland, 22, Egypt, 22, Belgium, 21, South Africa 5 and Australia 3, so

that Canada does not rank behind the others in the export of eggs.

But getting back to Canada,

if she could get a big slice of this egg trade and especially if con-

sumption per capita increases as it has in Canada.

Good Future For Prince Rupert

Will Soon Become Important As A Grain Shipping Point

The speed delivery of grain by Prince Rupert pioneers, Mr. McMorde, mayor of the city, regretted that he could not divulge the result of his recent visit to Ottawa until he had submitted his report to the Board of Trade, but he assured the gathering that the pioneers had made no mistake in establishing themselves in Prince Rupert. He predicted that within a few years the port would be a major shipping point for grain, and that grain would be shipped overseas through Prince Rupert. Or, and within the next ten years, all would be amply compensated for their unwavering faith in the future of the city.

Manitoba Mine Is Gold Producer

The Central Manitoba Mine has shipped 3 gold bricks since the mill began running a few weeks ago. Development work continues and ore reserves are in sight.

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Saskatoon Winter Fair Successful

Exhibits From Western Canada and Ontario Competed For Premier Honors

The biggest and best fair yet held," aptly describes the recent Saskatchewan winter fair held at Saskatoon March 20-23. Accommodation for 4,000 visitors was proved entirely inadequate to the needs of the extended lists of entries in the horse and cattle departments, and four additional barns in the city had to be requisitioned. Exhibits from all the western provinces and Ontario, together with recent imports from Great Britain and Europe, competed for premier honors in many of the events and the judges were faced by some very difficult decisions in both the horse and cattle sections. R. Wright, Drinker, Sack, placed the awards in the cattle classes, Dr. Reid, of Caron, Sask., judged the Pferchers and Belgians, and Albert Ness, of the Dogue, Quebec, officiated in the Clydesdale section.

Ben Finlayson, of Brandon, Man., and C. M. Rear, of Kincardine, Sask., were prominent winners in the stallion classes, the former with his imported stallions, the latter with his Pferchers and Belgians. Female classes were chiefly represented by entries from Lorimer of Conquest, Falconer, of Govan, and Cyril Smith, of Winkler, Manitoba. Wadsworth, Morris and Robertson, Zemlandia, and Murray and Patterson from Young, were prominent winners in the Clydesdale commercial section.

The grand champion steer of the show was found in Victor Glenrock, owned by John Brown, of Brandon, Man. Earl Brown, also of Brandon, secured first place in the boys' and girls' calf class with Nigro Boy, while the champion in the bull breeding, a Shorthorn Angus steer which occasioned considerable interest was "Wes Willie," exhibited by the University of Saskatchewan. The steers were well worth the amount 2,000 pounds at 3 years and the animal of age was still good enough to win the Saskatchewan red beef class.

Concluding the fair with a successful sale of fat stock at which the top calf offered by Earl Brown brought \$2,000 per head, the managers expressed their keen satisfaction at the splendid progress that has attended this annual show. To the energetic manager, Mr. Sid. W. Johns, and to the men who have given the increasing support of exhibitors generally, is particularly gratifying. New accommodation will have to be secured before another year as the present show building—an old Canadian Pacific station—will have to be sold and removed from the premises. A permanent arena is the objective of the management and judging by the magnitude and the success of the fair just held, nothing short of this will adequately serve the need of Northern Saskatchewan's annual winter fair.

Sheep For Manitoba

Plan To Place 100,000 Sheep Annually On Manitoba Farms

A movement is under way for the placing of 100,000 sheep annually on Manitoba farms. These will be sold in groups of fifty to each farmer, somewhat similar to the plan now in operation in North Dakota. At a conference of members of the sheep breeders association financial representatives and members of the Winnipeg and Brandon boards of trade, J. D. McGregor was appointed temporary chairman of a committee to make further arrangements for the carrying out of the plan.

Mrs. Bloo—"Don't take it so hard. In a month he'll be back again."

Mrs. Zoop—"That's just it. I thought the judge would make it six months."

Aristocrats and dentists are judged by the excellence of their extraction.



"Speaking to my wife I used a word which so offended her that she has refused to speak to me since."
"I should be obliged if you would tell me what the word was."—Pole Male, Paris.

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Used Wrong Metaphor

Lloyd George Credited With Making Slip That Turned the Tables And, speaking of the uses of words, Mr. Lloyd George's undoubted fluency just now turned against him in an ingenious metaphor.

When the defeated Conservative produced a dictionary in support of his contention that he who is shanghaied is "the victim of a very mean outrage."—London Correspondent, New York Herald.

Name Hotel After Famous Wheat
Hotel Marquis To Be Erected In Lethbridge As A Community Enterprise

The new hotel to be built, being built as a community enterprise, is to be known as the Hotel Marquis, to commemorate the famous wheat of that name. Marquis wheat was originated at the Canadian Experimental Farm, Ottawa, seven years ago.

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Canadian Tree Species
In Canada there are approximately 150 different species and varieties of plants reaching tree size. Only 31 of these are coniferous, but the wood of these forms 96 per cent. of our forest products. The trees themselves cover even a larger proportion of our potential forest area.

"In this tree, this root to Readville?" cried the man who had come to interview the newly married baby and the young wife was disturbed. She was overjoyed one night to discover him standing over the baby's cot.

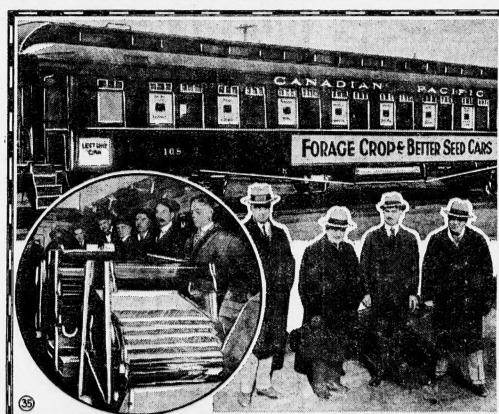
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McGowen's surplus crocodiles are to be shipped for bookbinding and shoe leather. Their fat is to be used in the treatment of rheumatism and other diseases.

C.P.R. Seed Train Tours West



Men—Specially-trained lecturers are used by the Canadian Pacific on the Forage Crop and Better Seed Train. Windows of the coach are replaced with colored transparent lantern slides depicting various phases of farming activities. Lower right: The Hon. C. M. Hedges, Minister of Agriculture, second from the left in the photograph, who opened the Better Seed and Forage Crop Demonstration Train at the Canadian Pacific exhibition at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, Toronto, last week.

With a view to further promoting the best use of seeds and obtaining first-class results in addition to educating the farmers as to how to overcome seed grain and forage crop difficulties, the Canadian Pacific Railway has again placed a touring demonstration train on their lines which visits all important Prairie provinces and parts of the East.

This train went west at the latter end of last month, the opening being attended by a representative gathering of government officials and members of the Saskatchewan Wheat Producers. The value of such a train was stressed by the Hon. C. M. Hedges,

Red Fife Wheat

Was the Standard Spring Wheat Variety in Western Canada For Years

The first notable variety of wheat to be introduced into Western Canada was one which had been developed more or less fortuitously, by a farmer named David Fife, of Peterborough County, Ontario, after whom the wheat came to be named. This variety, however, for a long time proved to be a wheat of very high milling and baking quality as well as a good yield. From the year of its introduction into Western Canada (about 1882) until the appearance of the winter-famers, Red Fife was the leading, and, in fact, the standard spring wheat variety of Western Canada as well as Eastern Canada. It was this variety which came to be taken up by the wheat farmers of Canada as official and standard product of wheat were established. Thus the original grades required that, in each case, there must be a certain minimum percentage of Red Fife present. It is of rather late date that we have seen all the leading spring wheat varieties in Canada today are more or less closely related to Red Fife.

With the introduction of the winter-famers into Western Canada constituted an epoch-making event, yet this variety possessed certain serious defects. The defects of Red Fife, especially its tardiness in maturing, were quite evident to the public. W. G. Simonds, who became the first Director of the Canadian Government Experimental Farm System. He realized that if those great virgin plains of the Canadian West, just then opening up, were to be developed, there would have to be attained a position of pre-eminence as a wheat producing country, an earlier maturing variety than Red Fife must be employed.

What Interested Him
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Television in the Home Should Be Possible Within a Year

Prediction

The New York Times quotes an unnamed representative of the Radio Corporation of America as predicting the year ought to see television in the home.

The invention of television, the newspaper says, causes observers to weight during sleep is not in accord with the laws of mechanics.

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The observers and radio engineers require that a motor to turn a television set to a particular station be provided with similar apparatus to the transmitting and receiving equipment.

It is logical that the phonograph and radio should be one complete machine.

Methodical As To Tips

New York. **Witless Know What To Expect From Regular Customers**

New Yorkers become accustomed to leaving the same amount of money as tips when they dine in hotel restaurants. For instance, a waiter may expect a quarter to a half-dollar for dinner plus a half-dollar. Waiters know just what to expect when they see various parties enter the dining rooms and take their favorite tables.

What Causes a Cold
After eleven years of study, Dr. Von Tschirhart, of the medical school of the Chicago packing firm, declared that colds are not infections at all, but are caused by overeating, lack of exercise, loss of sleep and mental strain.

Lead Mining in Yukon
In 1926 the Yukon produced about 2,930 tons of lead or about 2 per cent. of the total Canadian production. Ships take the form of lead ore and concentrates from the lead district.

Lead Mining in Yukon
George: "Yes, he was bitten by his own dog."

Woman: "Was 'e now? How was that?"

George: "He forgot himself and spoke to the dawg like what he do to his wife."

IS WEIGHT LESS AFTER SLEEP?

Experiment Made By Lawyer Is Not Conclusive Proof

A certain observer says man loses weight while he sleeps.

The proposition that the body loses weight during sleep is not in accord with the laws of mechanics.

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Honor Heroic "Mounties"

Names Being Given To Stations On Hudson's Bay Railway

A prophet may be without honor in his own country, but it is different with the hero.

The foundations of Canada's North and West are built with heroism and the names of great men are perpetuated.

The mounted policeman has always been a figure of romance in Canadian history, and it was a typically Canadian gesture that, when it came to naming one of stations along the Hudson's Bay railway two "mounties" who 30 years ago died heroically, should be remembered.

The point which has hitherto been known as mile 178.86 will be known in future as Mountie Hill, and another place called Mountie.

Corporal C. H. Hooley was killed in 1897, by the Indian, Almighty Voice, and Sergeant W. B. Wilde was killed by another Indian, Charcoal, eight years previous. Both men died at their posts trying to maintain the law, and in honoring them Canada honors itself.

In the revision of station names along the Hudson's Bay railway, a number of other men whose lives have been lost in the service of the country worked in their way for the opening of the new country are commemorated. Raweb is named after Ralph Webb, former mayor of Winnipeg, and the place called the Mile of General Patterson probably got its name from the General Patterson, who was one of the men who have been unresting in their efforts to bring the North to its own.

Jackson stands for J. A. Campbell, Member M.P. for The Pas, and Bird is named after the present member for Nelson.

The recent visit of Right Hon. L. C. M. S. Amery, secretary of state for the Dominions, is commemorated at Mile 356, which becomes Amery.

Theatre For Passion Play

New Building In Bavaria Will Be Ready For Next Performance

A third hall of stone and with timber ceiling, which does not displease the present wooden structure at Oberammergau, Bavaria, where the Passion Play is held every decade.

Whether the next series of performances will be held in 1930 or 1932 is not definitely settled, but the new structure will be opened whenever they are held.

A new building for dressing rooms for the 700 players in the drama will be completed in 1930.

The total cost is estimated at \$72,000. A loan will be necessary to get funds for the construction of the two buildings.

Whether the tradition of having the stage in the open will be abandoned in the new plans has not been decided.

Agricultural Canada

Agriculture Holds Leading Place In Trade Of Our Dominion

The importance of Canada as an agricultural country is emphasized in the trade report for 1927, in which agricultural, vegetable and animal products were the chief exports.

Next comes wool and paper valued at \$29,704,981. Among the principal items of imports agricultural, vegetable and animal products total \$29,715,394 in value, with iron and its products in second place, valued at \$249,145,363. Canada's principal foreign trade is done with 20 countries.

Took Three Of Them

At the ship's concert on an ocean liner a collection was taken up for the Seaman's Fund. It totalled \$46,023, and the chairman, amateur of the orchestra, told him the position of the fire alarm nearest his own home. It was found that not one of them could. How does that apply to our readers? Do they know where the nearest fire alarm is? Also do they know the number of houses in case of fire? Try it first on yourself and then on your friends.

Good Memory Test

We are sure that the day is gone when the President of the Firemen's Federation of France was at a dinner in Paris the other day and offered to give a second dinner to the whole company when he heard of the terrible toll toll in the position of the fire alarm nearest his own home. It was found that not one of them could. How does that apply to our readers? Do they know where the nearest fire alarm is? Also do they know the number of houses in case of fire? Try it first on yourself and then on your friends.

How Do You Win the Money?"

A young woman who seemed to be having her first experience in a bank approached the window of a paying teller and gave him a large check which she wanted to cash.

"How do you win the money?" he asked.

"Oh," replied the young woman, in some confusion. "I'll just hold out my hand and you can put the money in."

The entire train is opened for inspection at the various stops, demonstrations being carried out to educate the cattlemen and to give advice on crop demonstration train. It is open-

to the average man imagines he is.



"An infantile and a traidcious."

The silkworm and the honeybee have been acquitted. Who ought to be condemned, then?"

"The jury," Al Travas, Romo.

Save the Valuable "Poker Hands"



OGDEN'S
CUT PLUG
Soothing—
yet a man's smoke
COOL AND FRAGRANT

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Active preparations are being made for the prohibition poll in New South Wales in September. The liquor license is to be compensated to the tune of \$100,000,000.

When General Diaz recently reached the North Dale in his dirigible, Italia, he will drop a medal to commemorate soldiers in the Italian Alps who were killed in the war.

British Columbia is shipping more deer meat to China, despite political uncertainty there, the market for good stock continues in a healthy condition, according to Dr. A. Knight, Provincial Live Stock Commissioner.

A radio message which described terrible Arctic storms has been received by Edward Howe, Finsburgh, Boston, state director of ornithology from Commander Donald D. MacMillan, who is now in the Arctic, is now at anchor in a Labrador harbor.

Hon. Peter Hagan, federal minister of labor, may represent Canada at the international labor conference in Geneva this year. The conference opens on Sept. 2 and would determine the monetary and industrial situation of the country pending the minister's absence, he will undertake the trip.

Going Fishing?

Minard's is a reliable first aid for sprains, cuts and bruises. Also a valuable medicine, bitter. Put a bottle in your kit.

MINARD'S
"KING OF PAIN"
LINIMENT

There are now 115 miles of roads in the International Park, Alberta, of which 28 miles have been paved to automobile traffic. Added to these are some 650 miles of well defined trails leading to various points of interest.

COLDS COST MONEY

It is estimated that fifteen hundred men and women will be seen this season by Dr. Pierce's Prairie Dispensing Company, under contract with the Manitoba Cordage Company, whose factory is located in that city. The business is thriving and though many men and women are still working full time, it has been found necessary to install additional machines in order to keep up with demands for the company's product.

Have Different Methods
Telephone girls in New York hotels know where a guest comes from by the way he answers the phone. A guest from the South will usually answer "All right," while one from "Hello." Those from Canada say "Yes." While those from the Mid-West usually answer with a "Well?"

DR. PIERCE'S
GOLDEN MEDICAL
DISCOVERY

All Dealers. Liquid or Tablets.

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Small Town Papers

By FRANK PARSON STODDARD
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"So they were," he answered. "I was raised on the farm, but I never had any idea why we could do more in New York in the first place. And when dad died I sold the farm and bought a small printing office. Christie's Gazette. Couldn't get the virus of printer's ink out of my system."

I waited for Bert to go on, but he said nothing more in response to my question.

"Then you got gold mine," I ventured after a moment's silence. "What sort of business have you been in? You seem to have been successful."

Bert looked at me with a puzzled expression. "I don't know what you're trying to kid him. 'Why, I just told him,' he said. 'I bought the Middleboro Gazette.'"

I saw at once that I must have seemed stupid to Bert. Some big industrialist had come to the little town plant and made the country village into a big city, as the General Election turned out to be. But that was all of life into Middleboro? I couldn't remember which industry it was. Middleboro? I could not even imagine what the name of the town with, but I didn't let on to Bert.

"Oh, I see," I responded cheerfully. "And as the town grew big enough for a daily you grew with it, eh? That's what your paper told me, anyway?"

"About the same," he always has been. "I mean in a little less," he added. "Around 2,000. But we've got a circulation of more than 3,000. Not so bad, I suppose. I guess I'll be here a long time before Middleboro will need a daily, if any."

"Huh!" I said. "That's all Bert," I gasped.

"Let me get this straight. You've been right there in Middleboro for twelve years, and you've been writing weekly in a town of 2,000 people, and now you're retired on your income and you're living in a house on Avenue and—Oh, what's the use? I just can't seem to get this straight."

"I used to be a printer," he said. "I used to, you know, try to get you to print what you were trying to put out over on me. Do you need to know much money, or any money more than a bare living, and a poor one at that. Bert, you must have some property else that I don't know about."

"I know, of course," he grinned back at me. "Naturally I've made investments, same as any intelligent man. I've got a few shares in Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills,"

I took a block of stock in the Middleboro National and some shares in the Middleboro Manufacturing Company, plant, and a few pieces of business property in the town, and one thing came out of the Gazette in the first place, and all I had to start with was \$500. I've been saving ever since, ever since after dad died. Of course, we've plowed a lot of the profits back into the business, but we've been plowing up to date, you know. I'll inventory the plant—about \$20,000 in the business and another \$20,000 in the house. The Gazette, I guess, has around 40 percent on that figure, and you've no idea how much that will go in a town the size of Middleboro."

"It'll go a long way in New York," I said. "I mean, Bert, you know, Bert, is the idea that there's any such money, or the half of it, to be made in Middleboro. I mean, where's it going anywhere, any time? As my old Yankee granddad used to say, it's a good place to live, but it's not making that out of the paper, not out of the job-printing business."

The job-printing business accounts for about a quarter of it," he said, "but the rest is from advertising."

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Question: Why do growing children, particularly girls, need emulsified cod-liver oil?

Answer: Growing children, and particularly girls, need vitamin-rich nourishment to help them through critical stages of extreme tax on their strength.

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CHAPTER XXI—Continued

This opened to Lydie. Corbett went over to the couch and carefully inspected the young thing that was likely to make inroads in his hard-earned income. He put his clapped and polished hands on her shoulders, the glossy smooth head, and felt it in his heat. He gently touched the velvety cheek and found it soft as a rose-least to his fingers. He put his hand in his pocket and took out a five-cent piece. "I have been thinking of cold winds and aching legs," he knew something of them. But his answer was, "Sure! Mike! I'll do it. Are you pretty in your coat? Will it die, Ma?"

Doubtless she was expectant.

"We ain't 'whish'—you mother not, Ma," said Rosie quickly interposed, seeing the rebuke that was coming to her business partner. "We ain't wishin' nobody harm, but we're here to stay. What we know is always a danger—you know yourself, Ma; that none of us knows one day from another—where we're bound to go tomorrow as I am. I'm bound to hear you say—'and what are we? just talkin' it over in case something should happen—that's all'."

The warm heart of Maggie Corbett was tender to her offspring at that moment. She had known John, would you? Good little things, never mind, and yet it was only this morning they were fightin' like drunken scoundrels. I often thought if they had had a baby in the house it might have softened them up. John had laid your hearts on this way, for her mother is not goin' to die, I don't think; though you never can tell about a woman when her man has gone back on her."

Outside, the snow was still falling. The evergreen trees were bending with the weight of it, their branches hanging down like great white bear paws. Christmas Eve surprised everyone with all its' infectious gladness as the crowd of people, the electric incandescent. The electric fans in the windows

YOUNG WOMEN SUFFER MOST

These Two Found Relief by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.—"I have been teaching for three years, and at the end of that time I became tired and have no appetite. I was in bed most of the month, too having pain in my back and abdomen. I was obliged to stop work, so I was recommended to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I found every woman telling how good it was to take it. Now I take six bottles every year and recommend it to others."—LAURA J. EATON, Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.

"**Unable to Work?**"

Canning, Nova Scotia.—"I had to regular periods and great suffering at those times, the pains causing vomiting. I was too weak to keep school and often for some months I would be unable to attend to my work. I used to take a bottle of the papers I knew of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has relieved me of all trouble being completely relieved."

—LAURA J. EATON, Canning, Nova Scotia.

dows were hard pressed to turn back the shooting frost ferns, which threatened to hide the season's offerings. Handsome cutters, with beautiful robes thrown over the backs of the seats, stopped at the curb to let off passengers, who, every man on foot, in wheels, in wagons loaded with parcels, hurried to the suburbs of the city, sometimes pausing to look in at uncurtained windows where happy faces gathered around sparkling tables, so happy over the arrival of guests that they forgot to draw the blinds and so allowed some of their happiness to overflow into the street. They also enjoyed the winter's return on the glistening snow. Christmas wreaths tied with satin streamers glowed deeply red against the windows. The pulse of the city was beating with laughter and singing.

At the corner of Second Street and Jasper Avenue a congested street car stopped to let out a nook of little girls and boys on their way to the Christmas party of the First Baptist Church. Certain of the little girls, with their curly locks from the falling snow by being tucked safely away under their veils, were carrying mysterious pasteboard boxes containing small gifts and bows and wings and feathers. Others of them were darkly hooded and masked, their identity and sex entirely unknown, for were they not east for the season of the birth of Shadowland? Accompanying them were a liberal sprinkling of parents, mostly mothers, with a few self-conscious fathers who had the appearance of having been dragged out. The mothers had once, if they did not have their little boys or girls were going to take a part that was bound to be the very best thing on the program.

The bus stopped and turned with light and noise and activity, for the big supper, where all were welcome, was going on, and the odors of turkey and sage and onions, drifting out into the street, compelled the car to the front door.

Mrs. Russell, who lived in No. 16 on Jasper, called to the City Hall and therefore knew something of the correct forms of procedure, had notified the Department of the happening in No. 18. Dr. Symond came over at once. No one could be found in the house. At noon, this afternoon, when the delicious smell of a turkey palates in the atmosphere of the house and one has just helped to put two leaves in the dining-room table, Dr. Symond was summoned to the scene. He found dead, as a representative of the city authorities how could he help being astounded with these unregulated young women who leave their young men of the City Hall to speak. It was a terrible sight, really too much for the Proprietors' Association at their last meeting were complaining about it; properly so, too, for they were the people who had to pay for it. But the house had been ruined in the City—houses looking for help—unemployed—homeless—unfortunate girls—all come to the City.

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**WHITE STAR LINE
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singing as she did the Nonpareil in the last chapter of the novel; Danny was working further down south.

Heini was awakened from her dream by the entrance of a little man with a slender black bag in his hand. He came in without knocking, and said, "Good evening, Mrs. Corbett. I have come to see if you have any more questions." Before he could frame a question Mrs. Corbett had arrived, having seen the doctor's car in the front door.

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Little Helps For This Week

"Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life."—Rev. 10:6.

What should our spirits be opposite when days of darkness fall? Our Father knoweth what is best, and His love and grace are with us. And He loves us, and to lengthen our stay here, and in the presence of each other to furnish her with shelter, care and sustenance in the event of her mother's death. Rose and Daniel Corbett—the underwriters!

—Alice Cary.

God, who in mercy and wisdom created the world, could never have intended that any human being should be exempt to the most vicious and wretched men, but that He intends they should be the seminary of comfort, the nursery of virtue, the example of manhood, the school of patience, the venturing for a crown of glory.—Jessey Taylor.

Taking No Chances

Nurse.—"Whom are you operating on today?"

Orderly.—"A fellow who had a golf ball knocked down his throat at the links."

Nurse.—"And who is the man waiting so nervously in the hall—a relative?"

Orderly.—"No, that's the grader Scots gentleman. He's waiting for his ball."

"Is that all the women can do in one hour?" asked Santa's new employee. "Well, hell," said John, "I guess I could do much—but I never heard of one showin' off."

—W. W. H. Lyle, The Little Lord Jesus laid down His sweet head?"

and it brought to Helen's mind the Christmas story; and because her own child had been born in the stable, she had been longing to the end of the little white veil which covered Lili's face, she loved the little Christ Child more than ever, and thought of Him and His pale mother as they lay there, the manager with the nodding cat all around them.

"The stars in the sky looked down where He lay,

The little Lord Jesus, asleep on the hay."

Rosie, just outside the door, was

Have Renamed Destroyer

Implicit Compliment To Canada Seen

In Action Of Admiralty

An implied compliment to Canada

is seen by officials of the Department

of National Defense, Ottawa, in the

action of the British Admiralty in

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Dominion in the renaming of a de-

stroyer of the Royal Navy.

When Canada decided to rename the destroyers Torbay and Tweeddale

in honor of Canadian cities, the

Royal Canadian Navy, to Vancouver

and Champlain, it was found that

another destroyer of the British fleet

already bore the name Vancouver.

Hence the Admiralty

decided to rename the ship to

allow Canada to use this distinctive

name.

Admiral Sir Edward

Beatty, commanding the

Destroyer Flotilla, said:

"There are many ointments

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Teeth and Health

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THE BABY TEETH

How many should there be? "Ten little fingers and ten little toes"—making twenty all—little and there you have it, baby. Easy to remember isn't it?

And when should you begin to look for them? About the sixth or seventh month.

And which comes first? As a rule, the lower teeth, the central incisors.

So after all baby's teeth are in, how long do they last? Two or two and a half and so sound they look, that you never give a thought to future trouble.

Then the other eighteen or nineteen white teeth come in—"molars" which are not to be confused with the molars until Sonny is two years old, when he shows all his full temporary set.

Incisor teeth, being known also as the "milk teeth," from which you will be able to count them, are retained right through adult age. They should all remain in place, however, unless severely injured, when, through the natural process of shedding, they commence to be lost.

Then comes the time for the eruption of the second set, usually in the second year, when the upper teeth are crowded in front to allow one or two thicknesses of blotting paper between the upper and lower sets.

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But the second set of permanent teeth should be removed as soon as possible.

Since Sonny is going to look like a grown-up, he should get a nice new set, why bother to care for them?

Well, little Sonny does not want a toothache any more than do you, and for several other good reasons, of which more to follow.

Too Much Food

People These Days Eat More Than They Need

The problem interesting more people than any other in this country-day is diet control. There is no topic more important to health, general and more personally important to individuals of people than how to keep getting too fat. This is a strange phenomenon in a world that, from the dawn of history, has been hard to get rid of.

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Thursday, May 3, 1928

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson,
moved into town this week.

Messrs. R. G. McIntyre and
J. Cusack, of Calgary, were in
town, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McEachern
and Mr. and Mrs. E. McGill,
made trip to Medicine Hat
over the week end.

Mrs. G. Tucker, and daughter
Dorothy, and Connie Milne,
spent Tuesday of last week with
Mrs. John Fowlie, Social Plains.

"Tough luck" said the hen in
the Monastery. "Out of the
frying pan into the fire!"

Your attention is directed to
change in the hour of services
at the United Church School,
10:30 a.m., Public worship,
11:30 a.m., commencing Sunday
next.

Some people drive as if they
were anxious to have their ac-
cident quickly and get it over
with.—Milwaukee Journal.

Mrs. E. S. and Miss Kathleen
Sexton, left on a trip to Med-
icine Hat, by car, on Friday.
Mrs. Sexton returned on
Monday afternoon.

For Sale

Pure-bred Rhode Island Red Hatching
Eggs, from Pen Egg Laying
Stock, \$1.00 setting of 15.—Silton
Lacis, Empress, Alta.

Stray

On the premises of Robt. Arthur,
Sec. 35-20-24, W. 4, One Brown Mare,
two white colts, one foal, female
one male, age six years. Weight
about 1100 lbs. \$100.

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100 bushels of Good seed Potatoes at
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On the premises of G. G. Savia, N.W.
Sec. 4-3-12 w-4, small black Heifer,
about 3 years old, half ears and tail
off, no visible brand. Also small
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Rev. L. J. Tatham, was in
town this week getting his car
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house and window boxes, and
will take orders for tomatoes
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where a sign indicates danger,
or at any other point where a
"stop sign" has been erected.
This provision applies whether
or not a train can be heard or
seen approaching the crossing.

The significance attached to
the word "stop" on signs erected
on a highway by these requirements
necessitates some restrictions upon its use. The new legislation, therefore, prohibits the use of the word "stop" on signs erected on a highway, the word being reserved for the exclusive, official use of the Department of Highways. The prohibition extends also to the erection of a sign in any way resembling the
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Department. Persons violating this provision are liable, on summary conviction, to fines of
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Spring is here, and with it
Spring cleaning. Every corner of

the house is turned out, examined,
scrubbed and necessary

repairs done. The garden

is attacked, refuse gathered,
burned or otherwise disposed

bushes pruned, trees and hedges

pruned. The car is taken to

pieces, thoroughly overhauled

and put in complete running

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the human machine? The in-

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